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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

**DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

Ana Gloria Felix,

Plaintiff,

v.

United States Department of State, *et al.*,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:24-cv-00812-JCM-DJA

Honorable James C. Mahan

**ORDER RE:**  
**DEFENDANTS' UNOPPOSED MOTION**  
**TO EXTEND TIME TO ANSWER**  
**COMPLAINT (First Request)**

1 Defendants hereby move for a thirty-day extension of time to answer the complaint  
2 (ECF No. 1) until April 9, 2025. This is Defendants' first request for an extension of time to  
3 answer to the complaint. The current answer filing deadline is March 10, 2025 – fourteen days  
4 after this Court denied Defendants' motion to dismiss. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(a)(4)(A). The  
5 requested extension of time is for good cause and based on the following:

- 6 1. Plaintiff brings this action seeking to compel the Department of State (DOS) to  
7 reissue a decision on her son's visa application that a consular officer previously  
8 refused under the Immigration and Nationality Act ("INA") § 221(g), 8 U.S.C.  
9 § 1201(g). ECF No. 1, Compl. ¶ 2.
- 10 2. On July 1, 2024, Defendants moved to dismiss Plaintiff's complaint (ECF No. 14),  
11 and this Court denied Defendants' motion on February 24, 2025 (ECF No. 19).
- 12 3. The parties have discussed whether DOS may, in the near future, re-adjudicate the  
13 visa at issue in this case and therefore resolve this case without further litigation.  
14 Defendants would like more time to explore whether this is possible.
- 15 4. Plaintiff, through counsel, indicated that she does not oppose this motion for an  
16 extension of time. To that end, Defendants request an additional thirty days to answer  
17 the complaint, until April 9, 2025.

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**ORDER**

IT IS SO ORDERED that Defendant's unopposed motion to extend time to answer complaint (ECF No. 22) is GRANTED. Defendant shall have until April 9, 2025 to respond to the complaint.

DATED: 3/6/2025



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DANIEL J. ALBREGTS  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE